

## Japan Prepares For a Long War

Associated Press Cable to the Star.

TOKIO, October 6.—Count Okuma has issued a statement warning the people of Japan to prepare for a long war. He predicts that the cost to Japan of maintaining the war for two years will be one billion dollars. He alleges that the Russian officials are corrupt.

## ARMIES QUIET

MUKDEN, October 6.—The main forces of both armies are quiet but the scouts are active, skirmishing occurring constantly between the Russian and Japanese reconnoitering parties.

## SQUADRON DAMAGED

CHEFOO, October 6.—The Japanese squadron is thought to have been damaged in a storm in the Yellow Sea.

ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY ADDRESSES EPISCOPALIANS.

BOSTON, October 6.—At the session of the Episcopal convention held here today, the Archbishop of Canterbury addressed the gathering.

PARKER WILL STAY AT HOME.

NEW YORK, October 6.—Judge Alton B. Parker, the Democratic nominee for the presidency, will make no speeches during the campaign unless at Rosemount, his home at Esopus, New York.

REPUBLICAN CLUBS RE-ELECT MOORE.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., October 6.—J. H. Moore was today re-elected President of the League of Republican Clubs.

### HAWAIIAN HOTEL CONCERT.

In case the transport Logan which is due from Manila and Nagasaki today, should not be reported by 6 o'clock this afternoon, the concert by the cruiser Buffalo's band at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel, will be postponed until tomorrow at the same hour set for tonight.

It is dangerous to neglect a cold. Pneumonia is one of the most dangerous and fatal diseases. It always results from a cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will quickly cure a cold and perhaps prevent an attack of pneumonia. It is in fact made especially for that ailment and has become famous for its cures over a large part of the civilized world. It counteracts any tendency of a cold toward pneumonia. Can you afford to neglect your cold when so reliable a remedy can be had for a trifle? For sale by all dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., agents for Hawaii.

### PASSENGERS.

Per S. S. China, October 6, for San Francisco—Mrs. S. C. Williams, Mrs. W. G. Rogers, Mrs. C. Cameron, Allan Dunn, O. R. Williams, Charles D. Walker, Dr. J. J. Grace, Edward Dulsberg, Charles Isenberg, Mrs. Jane Walker, Mrs. E. F. Bishop, Mrs. Everett, Mrs. Parkhurst and baby, Col. Ludwig Clevé, H. E. Walker, Mrs. F. D. Walker.

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The Twenty-Ninth Series of Stock in the Pioneer Building & Loan Association will be issued in July, 1904, and is now open for subscription. The membership fee is fifty cents per share, and the monthly dues are one dollar per month per share. The stock draws much better interest than a savings bank.

Further information can be obtained from A. V. Gear, Secretary, 122 King Street.

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## Miranda's Defense In

PORTO RICAN WOMAN WHO WAS A WITNESS TO THE KILLING OF DAMON TELLS THE COURT SHE HAS BEEN THREATENED WITH VIOLENCE FOR GIVING TESTIMONY AGAINST MIRANDA—MORE VIOLENCE INTRODUCED.

### CASE GOING TO THE JURY

Attorney Davis commenced his address to the jury in the Miranda murder case upon the court's resumption at 2 o'clock this afternoon. He said it was a light matter, that of the duty of the jury, the attorneys and the court in the present case. A crime was committed in the killing of S. Edward Damon on the night of September 27, there was no use in denying this but he would remind the jury that they were sworn to do their duty in returning a verdict according to the evidence. He urged them to approach the case with calmness, deliberation, sobriety and without bias.

The prisoner was an unfortunate man born in ignorance in a land where human slavery existed. His environment was such as to excite pity and he should not be judged as the jury should judge a bright, intelligent man. If an intelligent man should carry such a weapon as that with which Mr. Damon was killed it would be a strong evidence indeed that such a man was contemplating some evil act but in the case of the unfortunate Porto Rican, bred in slavery to carry a knife, there was no intention of committing a murder that night just because he had a knife.

The only question involved was as to whether the case was one of murder in the first degree or one of manslaughter. Murder in the first degree had to be a killing with malice aforethought and it was towards this that Davis said he would direct the jury's attention. There was not a single item, a solitary fact in all the evidence to show that there was any malice aforethought on the part of the prisoner in the killing of Mr. Damon.

Davis spoke for an hour and a quarter along these lines and the Attorney General then began for the prosecution.

A sensation was sprung in Judge Gear's court this morning during the trial of Jose Miranda on the charge of murdering S. E. Damon, when Maria Colon was put on the stand.

She was sworn in due form and then, standing up in the witness box, burst into a torrent of Spanish much to the surprise of everybody.

"She wants to make a statement," said Judge Gear who understands some Spanish, "translate what she says."

The interpreter translated rapidly. "She says to tell the judge that she will tell all the truth no matter what happens. All the Porto Ricans are abusing her and say that they will kill her when she gets out for helping to convict Jose Miranda."

Judge Gear asked how she knew this when she had been in jail since the night of the killing.

"Whenever I come up in the police wagon," she said, "a man comes and shouts at me. He did so on Saturday and again today."

The police officer in charge of the woman said that her story was true. He understood the language and knew that this man was threatening the witness.

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## Took Two Successful Appeals To Washington

Customs Broker H. J. Johnston has won two recent appeals to the Treasury Department in the matter of charge and a fine of two vessels. One case was that of the barkentine Echo which was recently fined \$100 for failing to have a crew list. The master had misplaced or lost the list in some manner, so he was fined while in this port. An appeal was taken and the fine was remitted.

The other case was that of the Italian bark Lothair. The vessel stopped off the harbor while en route from Hongkong to Callao. Her master was ill and required medical attention, so he came to this port. The vessel was charged wharfage fees. It was contended that she should not pay such fees as the vessel was here in distress. The fees were ordered remitted.

A survey of the U. S. S. Iroquois was held several days by a board from the cruiser Buffalo. It was recommended that the vessel be overhauled and repaired. The cost of the work will amount to about \$1,000.

It has been decided to dispatch the Buffalo for San Francisco on Saturday. She will go up in about six days.

Dr. Cofer, of the marine hospital service, expects to be able to advertise for bids for the construction of the various improvements at quarantine island in about six weeks.

Collector Stackable was notified by cable last night to have the flag at the Customs House half-masted until Saturday, out of respect to the memory of the late Postmaster Payne.

## WILL WATCH THE PORTO RICANS

High Sheriff Brown today received from Warden Henry a list of all the Porto Ricans now in jail serving sentences for various offences. There are about sixty offenders, the majority for vagrancy, and those that are not for vagrancy are for stealing or murderous assaults. Some of them are serving long sentences.

The High Sheriff has also been provided with a list of the Porto Ricans discharged within the last two months. It is intended by the High Sheriff to have these people watched and if they are not making proper effort to secure employment, they will be arrested and prosecuted, or else forced to leave the city.

## LAST SERVICES IN MEMORIAM

FINAL FUNERAL SERVICES OF THE LATE MISS HELEN LOWREY THIS MORNING.

Miss Helen Lowrey, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Lowrey, died at the family home on Lanaila St. Street Tuesday night, October fourth, at half past eleven. Her illness had been a long one. Mrs. Lowrey and three of the children, Frederick, Helen, and Alan, left Honolulu in August, 1903 with the plan of spending a year in Europe. Mr. Lowrey and Sherwood, who remained at home, planning to join them later. The family established themselves in Brussels where in the late winter Helen suffered an attack of rheumatism. The disease was undoubtedly in her system and was brought out, and doubtless aggravated and somewhat intensified, by the wet, cold weather which prevailed in Brussels that season. After consultation with the best physicians, it was decided to return home in the hope that the Honolulu climate would bring relief. The journey was indeed a painful one and when they arrived in Honolulu the pain had left its mark on the young face. She soon became decidedly better, and physicians and parents joined in the hope of a complete recovery. But the rheumatic fever had hardly been reduced when the organs, weakened by the struggle, gave way. Complication followed complication, and from this time to her death, her life was one heroic struggle. Aided by a splendid constitution, she fought valiantly for life. Nursed by the tenderest and most skillful care tended by the best medical attendance that could be procured, she gave up her life only when the vital spark had been crushed out by the heavy hand of Death. She retained her mental powers to the last, and became unconscious only a few minutes before she passed peacefully into the great beyond. Her brothers, Frederick and Sherwood, are in the East at school the former at Harvard and the latter at Hotchkiss.

The funeral was held at the house at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of Wednesday October fifth. The simple services were conducted by the Rev. Dr. W. M. Kincaid, pastor of Central Union Church of which Helen was a member. A quartette consisting of Mrs. C. B. Damon, Miss Ethel Damon, C. M. Cooke and H. F. Wichman sang two of her favorite hymns, "Abide With Me" and "Asleep in Jesus." The rich profusion of flowers which filled the rooms testified to the loving regard in which she was held by everyone. Her friends, young and old, gathered to join in the last service of devoted love and respect to her whose death came as a personal loss to all. The family and near friends were seated in the Library. The Minutes, a girls' society at Punahou, of which she was a member, had seats in a body.

After the public funeral, the body was cremated. The private burial took place at 9 o'clock this morning at the Nuuanu avenue cemetery. Loving hands placed the urn containing the ashes in the vault. When the earth received its own, the Rev. Dr. Kincaid read an impressive service and offered prayer.

Helen Storrs Lowrey was the third child and only daughter of her parents. She was born in Honolulu, August 7, 1888. She had grown into young womanhood in the city and had made friends with people of all ages. Her loving disposition and exceptional maturity had endeared her alike to young and old. With unusual qualities of mind and heart and character, she seemed destined to have a wide influence for good. She always showed a rare thoughtfulness for others; even in her last illness, she made pathetic efforts to reduce the cares of those who were so willing to serve her. Her influence will live not only in the broken family circle but in that wider circle whose numbers consist of all who knew her. "None knew her but to love her, none knew her but to praise."

Dr. Henry S. Pritchett, president of the Institute of Technology, is being mentioned for the presidency of the new Carnegie Institute at Washington.

### THE OLD RELIABLE



## DEMOCRATS LOOKING FOR A CANDIDATE

THEY CAN NOT FIND ANY GOOD MAN TO TAKE WOLTERS' PLACE ON THE SENATORIAL TICKET.

The Democrats are just now like Hyacinth leaves. They are taking counsel with themselves as to what to do, and hoping for the best to happen. The question of naming a successor to Major E. H. F. Wolter on the Senatorial ticket, is the topic that is agitating the Democracy at present.

It is stated today that nothing would be done right away regarding the matter and that things would be allowed to drift along. There has been talk of transferring Richard H. Trent from the representative ticket of the Fifth District to the Senatorial ticket but Trent and his friends are strongly opposed to such a measure. The party leaders are in hopes that some dark horse will come forward and don the mantle that fell from the shoulders of Major Wolters.

Nothing has yet been done about naming a successor to David Kupihua in the Fifth representative district.

### CHINA SIGHTED.

The S. S. China from the Orient was sighted off Barber's Point this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. She will dock about 4:30 and probably sail for San Francisco tomorrow in the forenoon.

### SAVED SAILOR'S LIFE.

Edwin Rose the young half white who is awaiting examination in the United States court on a charge of embezzling a Panama hat, saved the life of a Jackie from the cruiser Buffalo Tuesday afternoon at Waikiki. The sailor was in bathing and was seized with a cramp in the leg and cried for help. Young Rose rescued him as he sank.

### LONDON LETTERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, October 6.—The London price today of 88 analysis beets is 11 shillings, 3 pence. The last quotation was October 4, 11 shillings, 3 pence.

Miss Sullivan, niece of ex-Mayor Phelan of San Francisco, accompanied by Miss Muller and maid, arrived yesterday on the Sonoma and are guests at the Alexander Young hotel.

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